

BIG FIRE SCARE AT COURT HOUSE

Blaze in Archway Connecting Police Headquarters Is Smothered as Rats Flee

Fire caused by careless use of matches, started in the archway connecting police headquarters and the courthouse in Downtown square today, threatened destruction of the two buildings for a time.

A bucket brigade of policemen and firemen had the fire under control when the flames arrived.

The fire brought to light the fact that the city, while advocating a stern campaign against rats, maintains a good-sized family of rodents in the two buildings.

The blaze started in waste paper in the archway and spread to a large reference and the double doors in the archway. While the volunteer fire fighters, headed by Sergeant Charles Newell and Richard Evans and Paulman Walter, were battling the flames, a big rat scurried from beneath the burning rubbish.

A short time later a number of rats scurried from the rubbish pile when it was stirred about to uncover the fire.

The archway was clear of automobiles at the time, although the truck of police officials are generally parked there. The loss amounted to \$25.

CREDITORS SEEK BANKRUPTCY FOR PAPPAS

Boston Broker Whom Closed Providence Office Subject of Petition

Voluntary petition in bankruptcy was filed in United States District Court by three creditors today against the Boston office of William S. Pappas & Co., stock brokers, whose Providence office was closed last week.

Claims of the creditors total \$1,500. These creditors, all of Boston, are Nicholas C. Colton, \$750; Paul Kasse, \$50; and Nicholas Stevanovich, \$100. Their petition was filed by Nicholas A. Loumas, attorney of the Old South building.

The Boston office of the concern is at No. 241 Washington street. The Providence office, at No. 15 West Main street, was closed last week, following a meeting before Bank Commissioner George H. Newhall and Attorney General Herbert L. Carpenter of Rhode Island.

Pappas has two more offices still open, one in Haverhill, the other in Norwich, Ct.

Chicago—The Auditorium Theatre, one of the Chicago Civic Opera Company, will be leased to the producers of New York for the entire season except for the Grand Opera season.

Recovers Tots



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There was considerable hair pulling, and after the automobile had departed with the children and their mother, Mrs. Martin, who had been found by Mrs. Small, now in Rome, Italy, was forced to leave the children in the hands of a woman, who later took her two children in from the home of her husband's parents in England.

Mrs. Small, alleging that he was neglecting himself from home for long periods, some months ago filed charges of adultery against him.

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Mate of Boston Ex-Policeman in Hand-to-Hand Tussle With Mother-in-Law

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JAMAICA PLAIN FIRE OUSTS 3 FAMILIES

Women and Children Flee Tenement Blaze Which Causes \$700 Damage

Three families were driven to the street today by a fire in the top floor of a three-story frame tenement located at No. 113-115 William street, Jamaica Plain.

John K. Agnew, who lives on the top floor, was awakened by smoke. He opened a window and called for help. A man standing on the street turned in a fire alarm.

Agnew, his wife and child fled after arousing the other tenants. On the second floor were Edward E. Canale, his wife and five children. They made their way to safety through smoke-filled hallways.

On the first floor live Mark J. Clougherty, Michael T. Clougherty and Catherine and Mary E. Clougherty. The latter two are telephone operators.

The fire was confined to the second apartment and the loss amounted to \$700.

NEWSIES' MINSTRELS AGAIN TONIGHT

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\$10,000,000 IN FIRST RUSSO-GERMAN DEAL
Berlin, April 28 (U.S.A.)—The first Russo-German deal since the Treaty of Rapallo was signed has been concluded. About \$10,000,000 worth of Russian Leningrad oil and gasoline will be delivered within a year to the German Reichs company, and the German Petroleum Company.

It is understood that the Standard Oil Company has secured this, an unwritten agreement to take a large amount of oil out from the German firm.

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BOY SHOT FROM 'GOLD COAST' WINDOW
Harvard Student Occupying a Room in Randolph Hall Dies in Owing Air Gun

A shot from a window of Randolph Hall, a part of Harvard's "Gold Coast," struck Joseph Lench, aged eight, of No. 14 Vincent street, Cambridge, who was passing the dormitory.

The bullet, which was from an air gun, hit the lad on the leg and in the chest, and he was taken to the Municipal Hospital.

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84 Out of 85 Slayers Escape Chair Sings Sing Head
New York, April 28.—Declaring that defendants who get away with big heads do not get into prison, which he calls "really a haven for unscrupulous crooks," Warren Lawes of Sing Sing told members of Grace Methodist Church in Harlem that out of three who committed murder in New York State only one out of eighty-five was executed.

The boy saw the window from which the shot came and as a result of his story the police questioned Reginald Vance, a student who occupies the room designated by the injured boy.

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"TIZ" FOR ACHING, SORE, TIRED FEET

Gone, sore feet, burning feet, swollen feet, weary feet, aching feet, tired feet. Good-bye, corns, calluses, bunions and raw spots. No more shoe tightness, no more limping with pain or drawing up your face in agony. "Tiz" is the only foot powder that will cure all these troubles.

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WALSH SEEKS TO AMEND BONUS BILL
Washington, April 28.—Senate action on the bonus bill was delayed today by a vote of 74 to 16 to amend the bill to provide for the payment of the bonus in installments.

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HANDCUFFS HIS BRIDE AFTER WEDDING
Somerville Constable Guards Against 'Kidnaping' Threatened by Friends

One minute after the Rev. Thomas P. McCarthy said the words which united in marriage Miss Jeanette Di Vincenzo of Medford and William J. Di Giuseppe, well known Somerville constable, suspicion and mistrust, a gathering of friends and relatives in St. Clement's Church, Somerville, were surprised to see the groom in handcuffs.

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Saved in Storm
Five Americans, four of them residents of Massachusetts, were rescued from a steamer on the Robert Dollar when she ran aground on Tientsin river in the Yangtze River, according to word received here from Peking, China.

The Americans reported saved Dr. William Thomas Councilman, his wife and daughter, Miss Elizabeth Councilman.

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BOSTON FAN BOAT IN CHINA
Dr. W. T. Councilman, Wife and Daughter Saved in River Wreck

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Bachelors Taught to 'Roll Own' Meals at Home Beautiful
From now on—bachelor or not—bachelor—a man may eat. It's all up to himself. But the chance to "roll his own" course dinners is offered him at the Fourth Annual Home Beautiful and Building Trades Exposition, now in progress at Mechanics Building.

A bachelor's cooking school, where unmarried men may learn the secrets of culinary art will open tomorrow night, and will be continued each night, thereafter, until the show ends. Unmarried men are designated, but who will have the heart to refuse certain married temptations?

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300 CASUALTIES AS TURKS AND FRENCH CLASH
Heavy Fighting Reported in Syria; Airmen Bomb Several Towns

London, April 28.—Sanguinary fighting between Turks and French troops has taken place in Northern Syria, according to the Jerusalem correspondent of the Daily Express.

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BERGDOLL MISSING; RELATIVES ALARMED

Eberbach, Baden, April 28.—Rita of Grace Church Bergdoll professes to be a bit anxious about her whereabouts. He left here April 4 for an automobile trip without giving a hint to anyone where he was going. He was accompanied by several armed companions, but no news of the party has been heard since word since his departure. They say they do not believe he has started for America.

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LYNCH-MARTIN TICKET WIN ELECTION BOARD

The Administration ticket, headed by James M. Lynch for U. S. president, and Edward M. Martin for president of Boston Typographical Union, were successful in electing their Board of Election Judges yesterday at the meeting of Boston Typographical Union.

Creeping Along For Five Years

Two Tubes of Joint-Ease Now Walks Anywhere

Can't Praise Great Joy Remedy Too Highly, Says W. J. Roy

Read his grateful letter and then you can think of any reason why you shouldn't use Joint-Ease. It's a little, soft, white, inflated, air-filled, creaky, sore joints must be a blessing.

Gentlemen, I am sure glad to say to the public I have not been able to get around only to just creep along for five years, until I got hold of Joint-Ease and I now can just walk where I please.

My knees were swollen and my legs all the time. Now the pain has all left my legs and the swollen legs are normal and I cannot recommend Joint-Ease too highly. I have just used two tubes of Joint-Ease only and will not be without it at all times.

Truly yours, W. J. Roy, Morgan town, Va., Feb. 26, 1924.

A tube costs but for cents at any live druggist anywhere.

Always remember when Joint-Ease gets in joint gets you gets out—Quick. You can get it at any Liggett drug store.

JOINT-EASE

Marry Me, Winnie, and I'll Buy the Ring Does Your Watch Perform Properly?

If not, let our Watchmakers repair it for you. Unbreakable Crystals while you wait.

ALARM CLOCKS PARLOR CLOCKS

75c 3.00, 15.00, 25.00

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WILSON BROTHERS' B. JEWELRY STORE

14-15-16 Tremont Row, Boston, Square is a safe place to trade.

John W. Wilson ONE PRICE TO ALL—CASH AND CREDIT—Cure & Wilson

You Are Invited to Visit the New Home of Holmes, Luce Co.

Dealers in Good Furniture for Forty Years

68-70 Hanover St.

Grand Opening Tuesday, April 29

All Are Cordially Invited

HOLMES, LUCE CO.

Better Values

With enlarged quarters, we are now prepared to give better furniture values and thereby increase our volume of business.

Honest Advertising

Merchandise advertised by us will be honestly represented. No sensational, unreliable sales, but reliable furniture at a fair price.

Public Confidence

Holmes, Luce Company has been serving the public for forty years with the same heads now as then.

The business policies of Holmes, Luce Co. will remain the same. People who come to this new store are sure of getting dollar for dollar value. We know from experience furniture value, and our prices will continue to stay at the low level peculiar to Holmes, Luce Co.

When You Think of Homes Think of **Holmes, Luce Co.,** 68-70 Hanover Street Next to American House

45 REBELS ARE EXECUTED IN MEXICO

FORD REVEALS \$271,618,668 CASH BALANCE

Ends 1923 With Largest Sum on Hand of Any Corporation in the Country

The Ford Motor Co. has announced its balance sheet for the year ending December 31, 1923. The company's cash balance at the end of 1923 totaled \$271,618,668.

This is by far the largest amount of cash reported by any industrial corporation in America and is a record for the United States.

The Ford figures show an increase in cash on hand the first day of 1924 of \$12,012,881 and \$16,343,392 over the first day of 1923.

The statement follows:

Real estate	\$98,106,649
Machinery	87,891,411
Merchandise	14,378,306
Notes, receivables, etc.	12,119,032
Cash, securities, etc.	271,618,668
Deferred charges	842,161
Total	\$568,101,609
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock	\$1,245,390
Mortgages	41,900
Accounts payable	7,121,032
Notes payable	None
Reserve	27,406,129
Surp. and profit and loss	417,011,018
Total	\$568,101,609

Cash on hand of other large corporations at the end of 1923 follows: American Telephone & Telegraph Company, \$23,417,746; American Express Company, \$5,524,440; Associated Western Companies, \$7,137,220; National Consolidated Oil Corporation, \$2,990,907; United States Rubber Company, \$1,644,408; Bethlehem Steel Corporation, \$1,293,390; Kline Service Company, \$1,082,650; and Worthington Machine & Manufacturing Company, \$954,522.

GIRL IS KILLED AS AUTO RAMS POLE

Fourteen-year-old Marion Wynne was killed and her sister Grace was injured when the automobile in which they were riding, driven by their father, Martin Wynne, of No. 326 Essex street, Westmore, Heights, crashed into a telegraph pole on Lincoln street, Highland.

Marion Wynne, Grace Wynne, Wynne, her wife, and daughter, John, four years old, who were also in the machine, narrowly escaped injury.

CARUSO'S WIDOW AND NEW HUSBAND PART



MRS. E. A. INGRAMS

Formerly Dorothy Benjamin, daughter of late Park Benjamin, noted New York lawyer, she was the widow of Enrico Caruso, famous tenor, when she married Ingrams, a British army captain, last December. He complained of the "tenderness" of Americans in general and of her friends in particular while they were on their honeymoon. She resented that he'd better return to England, which he did. She says she will bring no suit for divorce or separation against her husband.

NO DIVORCE FOR FORMER MRS. CARUSO

New York, April 27.—Mrs. E. A. Ingrams, formerly Mrs. Enrico Caruso, refused her attorney today to petition for divorce from her husband, Captain Ingrams, an Englishman, who had separated the divorce, however that she would bring a suit for divorce or separation suit against him.

The attorney explained that the suit was caused by "wild relations," one of which was Captain Ingrams' dislike of the United States. He said for England the first week of March and since then Mrs. Ingrams has been living with her daughter in a Park Avenue apartment.

Mrs. Ingrams said she intended to make her permanent home there and as far as is known, Captain Ingrams will live in London.

SLAYERS OF 2 GIRLS PAY DEATH PENALTY

Baltimore, Pa., April 27.—Wayne C. Ford, 21, and Edward J. Lister, 20, who killed and killed away from the Philadelphia more than two years ago, were today sentenced to hang for their crime.

The two men were convicted of the slaying of two girls, 12 and 13 years old, who were drowned in the Potomac river. The girls were drowned in the Potomac river, and the two men were convicted of the slaying of the girls.

POOR CHILD, WHY ARE YOU SO THIN?

You Need McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets

Don't your mother know that Cod Liver Oil will put pounds of fat on your bones in just a few weeks?

Don't your mother know that it is sugar-coated tablet form now so that it is as pleasant as candy?

Let her tell you that McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets are the best of all.

They are made from the finest cod liver oil, and are the most reliable and healthful of all.

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McCoy's Cod Liver Oil Tablets

Original and Genuine

10,000,000 School Children

NATURE'S RARE GIFT

From Norway's Seas

SCOTT'S EMULSION

The Strength-maker.

Scott & Bower, New York, N. Y. 23-25

70 WOMEN AID WORK OF UNION HOSPITAL

Lynn and Revere Well Served by Institution for 25 Years

This is the fifteenth of a series of articles which is a report to the newspaper's investigation of social conditions in Greater Boston.

If you are not acquainted with the Lynn and Revere Union Hospital, you will find it well worth a visit. The hospital is a fine building, and the work of the hospital is well known.

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PASSPORTS ARE BANNED BY ITALY

Will Issue No More to Wives and Children Until Immigration Law Is Settled

Rome, April 28.—New instructions have been given Italian immigration authorities not to issue passports to wives and children of Italian residents in the United States, it was declared in the consular office of immigration today.

Following receipt of reports from the United States that American women had been arrested because of such an order.

Officials pointed out that they were awaiting announcement of any new immigration regulations issued by the United States government as a result of the immigration restrictions bill in Congress, and that new laws were not being issued until the Italian quota law in America was exhausted.

They declared, however, that wherever possible the wives and children of Italian residents in America would be allowed to enter.

WOMEN'S BOARD AID

The Women's Board of the Lynn Hospital, an association of 19 members, does much to aid the work of the hospital by making surgical dressings and other articles which would otherwise cost a large sum of money.

The board is headed by Miss Mabel Bennett, superintendent of the hospital, and the board also includes Dr. Joseph G. Ford and Arthur E. Joseph.

The board is situated on Pine Hill, Lynnwood road, and commands a splendid view of the waters of Nahant and Swampscott.

EXTRA VALUES IN DISCONTINUED CRETONNES

Paine's



WILLOW FURNITURE

In Colors of Your Own Choosing

On the street floor we show fine reed and willow furniture, stained or enameled in a great variety of tasteful color combinations.

But if you prefer you may have any suite or single pieces finished in your own choice of colors, and cushions to match in any material from the Drapery Shops.

The Pieces Sketched

are in natural willow, cushioned in block printed English linen. The 5-foot sofa is \$34. Arm chair, right, \$16.50. Arm chair, left, \$12. All cushions extra. The 21-inch top table is \$7.50. Japanese rush rug, 4 ft. 6 x 7 ft. 6, \$12.50. Other sizes in proportion.

Paine's FURNITURE COMPANY

81 Arlington Street

Four in Auto Killed in Crash

Buffalo, April 28 (U. P.).—Four persons were killed as a result of an automobile accident. A machine owned by James H. Shaw and carrying three men from Buffalo struck a street car with such force that the auto rolled over and the car was crushed. The four persons, who were identified as the machine, Shaw and three other men, are dead.

Corns

Don't risk blood poisoning by paring a corn. Apply Blue-jay, the scientific corn cure. The pain will vanish instantly. Then the corn loosens and comes out. Get Blue-jay today at your druggist.



Blue-jay

Housen's CORSET SERVICE

63 Temple Place Washington Street

Parisian Style Creators Demand Proper Corseting

THE properly corseted figure only can wear their latest creations in tailored suits and close fitting gowns. The American adaptations of Paris inspired creations now in vogue, require the perfectly fitted corset. Housen presents for this purpose the



HOUSEN'S HOSIERY

New, Seasonable, Unimpaired at prices as low as for this elsewhere. Don't waste time shopping. Housen has just the shades you want. 5 up and out.

Paine's

HARRIS CALLS DRY ATTACKS "MALICIOUS"

Federal District Attorney De-
nies All Charges; Office Is
Open to Investigation

"False and malicious are the in-
efficiency charges made against me
by the Anti-Saloon League," said
United States District Attorney Rob-
ert O. Harris today.

"Any investigation the Attorney
General wants to make of my of-
fice will find my office open to him.
I am ready for any such investiga-
tion," he added.

"I deny every charge that the An-
ti-Saloon League makes. I went to
Washington with no intention of
defending myself against any
charges. I went there to visit an
old risk, to see my daughter and to
pay my respects to the President.
I was ready for any such investiga-
tion," he added.

Protected "SALADA"

TEA
is kept fresh, pure and fragrant by
the air-tight aluminum package. Try it.
CHOICEST INDIA, CEYLON and JAVA TEAS

Gum Chewing Aids the Teeth

You have the authority of doctors and
dentists for this statement. Your own experi-
ence will prove it, if you will use WRIGLEY'S
after every meal.

The following quotations from a recent
work on teeth and health are worth remem-
bering:

"Dentists have found that the exercise of gum
chewing brings about a better nutrition of the
teeth. . . ."

"The cleansing action of the gum between the
teeth helps to keep them free from the particles
which lodge in the crevices and cause decay."

The busy man—or woman either—rarely
has time to clean the teeth after eating. Yet
they should be cleaned, and

WRIGLEY'S after every meal

will do it. Also it will
aid digestion and furnish
welcome refreshment to
mouth and throat.

Sealed in its purity
package, bringing all its
original goodness and
flavor to you.



Get your Wrigley
benefit today!

Try Wrigley's after smoking

The Flavor Lasts

Slow Day at Capitol; Only Few Probers Are Working

The falling curve of the Senate
investigation reached a new low
today. It was one of the
new investigation holidays in
Washington with all three of the
major Senatorial investigating
committees in recess.

The committee investigating into
the indictment of Senator
Wheeler did not meet because of
the absence of the particular
witnesses wanted by Chairman
Dyer.

Both the Daugherty and oil
committees were occupied with
other things, while the Revenue
Bureau, Mayfield, propaganda
and diploma mill committee con-
sidered their legislative recesses.
A session of the Texas fraud
committee spotted a perfect re-
cord on that side of the capital.
On the House side the Ship-
ping Board investigation con-
tinued, but the bribery, Engra-
ving Bureau, aircraft and Northern
Pacific land grant inquiries re-
mained quiescent.

MAINE BISHOP DUE HOME THIS WEEK

Portland, Me., April 28.—The
Rev. Bishop Louis S. Walsh is
expected to arrive in New York
today, after a tour of several months
in Europe, and a visit to the holy
see. He is expected to bring a mes-
sage to the Catholics of Maine from
his father.

MISS STOPA GOT POISON OF HUB MUSICIAN

Planned to Kill the Man She
Loved and Then Com-
mit Suicide

Another threat in the skin of
Wanda Stopa's love-mad double
ruse leads to Boston.
It has been discovered that a mem-
ber of the world-famous Boston
Symphony Orchestra supplied Wanda
with a box of poisoned candy to
use in her scheme to kill Henry
Manning.

Boston was first linked with the
Stopa case when Wanda, seeking to
kill Smith, a Chicago advertising
man with whom she was infatuated,
shot and killed Henry Manning,
gardener for the Smiths, who de-
serted his family in Waltham eight
years ago.

300 FOX CANDY.
The new poisoned candy angle in
the case comes from New York de-
tectives, who assert they have
learned from several sources that
Wanda received the candy in a box
from the musician.

New York friends of Wanda told
the detectives she sent the musician
300, begging him to help her get
revenge on Smith. The New York
police say they have the identity
of the musician, whose first name is
said to be Walter.

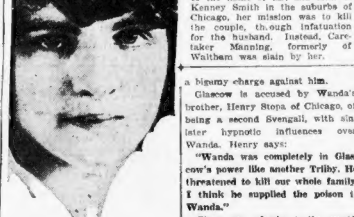
Wanda, the New York police be-
lieve, planned to give Smith some
of the candy and then eat some her-
self. Apparently the poisoned candy
plot fell through. After the failure
of her search for Smith in his Chi-
cago home and her fatal shooting
of the gardener Manning, the love-
mad Polish beauty fled to a Detroit
hotel and drank cyanide, ending all
her attempts.

HUSBAND APPEARS.
Wanda's husband, "Curt" Vlad-
imir Glasnow, otherwise known as

INTENDED VICTIMS OF WANDA STOPA'S GUN



MR. AND MRS. SMITH
When Miss Stopa, who has
since killed herself by poison, went
to the home of Mr. and Mrs. Y.
Kenner Smith in the suburbs of
Chicago, her mission was to kill
the couple, though infatuated
for the husband. Instead, Care-
taker Manning, formerly of
Waltham was slain by her.



WANDA STOPA

TH Glasnow, whom Chicago police
have been seeking, has appeared.
He walked into a Chicago newspaper
office and said he had been keeping
under cover until he heard of
Wanda's suicide, because there was

a bigamy charge against him.

Glasnow is accused by Wanda's
brother, Henry Hons of Chicago, of
being a second fengual, with sin-
gular hypnotic influences over
Wanda. Henry says:

"Wanda was completely in Glas-
now's power like another Tribby. He
threatened to kill our whole family.
I think he supplied the poison to
Wanda."

Stopa was referring to the cyanide
with which Wanda ended her life.
Not the box of poison candy which
New York detectives say the Bos-
ton Symphony player sent her.

What became of the poison candy is
yet to be explained.

The Stopa family, Wanda's mother
and brothers, have asked police
protection against Glasnow.

WIFE OF SLAIN CARETAKER GOES FOR BODY

Mrs. Henry Manning of Wal-
tham Goes to Chicago to
Arrange Funeral

Mrs. Henry Manning, wife of the
former Waltham architect slain by
Wanda Stopa, woman attorney, in
Chicago, has gone to claim the body
of her husband.

Whatever it was that kept the
Manning apart for eighteen years
has been wiped off the slate by the
heroic death of the man who jumped
in front of his employer's wife and
took an assassin's bullet to save her.

Mrs. Manning's son is in Chicago
with her making funeral arrange-
ments.

According to members of Man-
ning's family, the separation nearly
a score of years ago was by mutual
agreement. Manning did not desert
his family as was first reported.

The family also explains that
Manning was acting as caretaker for
the Smiths during the past year be-
cause of ill health and was not a
laborer on the estate.

Bridgeport, Ct.—Grace Nordby,
thirteen, was drowned in Bridgeport
Harbor. Four other children had
narrow escapes. The children were
in an overturned boat.

"Black Oxen" Author Sees Prospect of Prolonged Life

Washington, April 28.—Er-
trude Franklin Johnson was
born in 1857. Curtis Dwight Wil-
bur ten years later, and James
John Davis six years after that.

They sat near one another at
the breakfast of the League of
American Pen Women (aven-
ues—the famous novelists who,
in "Black Oxen," wrote of the
restoring powers of the land
—transplantation operation, and
the Secretaries of the Navy
and Labor, both little taut by
time.

But here was Gertrude Johnson,
by many a moon beseener,
who seemed a young forty.
She said:

"Old age is a disease in a few
years it will be used by
one of the new scientific dis-
coveries exactly as our dis-
eases now are. By one,
when his or her body wears
out, will go to a special
treatment."

A reporter asked Dr. Atherton
whether she was a living
example of the art of the
woman who said she was and
said the query was "out of order."

**McADOO HAS
VOTES, SAY JAGGERS**
Cleveland, April—William G.
McAdoo, with 11 votes pledged,
is assured a lead in the first ballot
at the Democratic convention,
David L. Ross, the national
pre-convention organ manager,
said today. He said:

"No other candidate has more
than half that number."

EX-POLICEMAN ASKS JOB BACK

Harold W. Peterson Alleges
Commission Denied Him
a Proper Hearing

Harold W. Peterson, who was dis-
charged as a patrolman of the Bos-
ton police department by Commis-
sioner Wilson on March 19, after
being found guilty by a trial board,
has brought a petition in the Su-
preme Court for a writ of manda-
mus to compel the commission to
re-instate him, alleging the commis-
sioner denied him a hearing in the
nature of a review of the findings
of the trial board. The matter will
come before Judge Carroll in the
Supreme Court on Friday.

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Fine quality charmeuse at this exceptionally low price.
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In the newest wadding designs—over
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Fancy Woven Check Suitings,
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variety of the best styles. For blouses,
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of these beautiful dress crepes for
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Dress Ratines, cotton, 36-inch,
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the leading shades 39c

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cotton fabric in checks and scroll ef-
fects, very popular for one piece
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styles. 40-inch, Seconds 39c

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Madras, for men's shirts and pa-
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Including printed crepe de chine,
40-inch. Knitted and moire crepe,
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Poiret Twill, all wool, sponged
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Four Lining Values

Satin de Chine, 36 inches. A
very desirable lining, light weight,
gray, tan, beaver, brown and navy.
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full line of colors and black 39c-49c

Silk and Cotton Linings, very
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Printed Charmeuse (cotton), in
a large assortment of choice styles,
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We guarantee you our present low retail
sales price throughout 1924, provided you
order our standard supply of New England
Coke directly from us on or before May 15,
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understanding that half your bill order be
delivered prior to July 1, 1924.

We further agree that should a lower retail
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during 1924 to rebate to you, by check, the
difference between the price you now pay
(\$12.50 per ton) and any lower retail sales
price that may be made effective by us
during 1924.

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vances during 1924, our Price Protection Policy
guarantees you the \$12.50 price per ton.

We have a display this week at The Home Beautiful
Show at Mechanics Building, where our
representatives will be glad to explain the
Wonder Fuel advantages, and to answer any
of your home fuel questions. For your convenience
orders may be left there.

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Telephone Congress 6000



MR. AND MRS. R. J. SANDERSON

Husband of famous lawyer, 38, he is convinced, after investigation, that his talented wife did not run into any divorce poet with Ellsworth Bassett, Connecticut claim digger, who charged that Nina urged him to divorce Mrs. Bassett after which Nina would marry him when she obtained her divorce from Sanderson. Rhode Island courts, however, refused to grant a divorce to Nina. It is rumored she and Sanderson are to be re-united.

FINISH: DELIVERY OF PRIMARY

BALETS

The last batch of ballots for union's primary elections was delivered at noon today to the state commissioners of elections. The ballots were prepared by the State Secretary W. Cook. Secretary Cook said that 1,000 ballots had been prepared for the entire State, divided pretty evenly between the parties.

"There are 100 places," he said, "and 100 places." The State Mr. Cook said, "There are 100 places, and 100 places will be open tomorrow, very throughout."

VETS MEET TO PLAN \$10,000,000 HOSPITAL

Washington, April 28.—Representatives of veterans' organizations and their societies met here today to plan the building of a memorial with 48 units, one for each State. It would be used for treatment of the venereal diseases of former service men of all wars. The cost would be about \$500,000 and an endowment fund of \$250,000 will be sought. Location of the hospital under present plans would be selected by a commission.



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NINA AND HER HUSBAND MAY MAKE UP

Third Party Movement Is Growing Fast

NINA AND MRS. BRYAN
MATE MAY SEEKS CURE
MAKE UP BY HEALER

**Sanderson Issues Statement
Clearing Author of "Love-
Thief" Charges**

Possibility of a reconciliation between Nina Wilcox Putnam author, and her husband R. E. Sanderson, loomed today, following Sanderson's announcement in New York that he had investigated the "love-triangles" charges made against his wife last winter and found them "without foundation of fact."

Miss Putnam's trouble started when a Providence judge granted her divorce decree before the ink was dry, holding she had abandoned her husband.

Then came C. Ellsworth Russell of Madison, Ct., who accused Mr. Sanderson of stealing her husband's money. She was at that time in Florida with Mrs. Sanderson in the role of secretary. Formerly he had been her chauffeur.

And so, in a matter of days, the woman's personal ministrations were being sought by a succession of men from the hands of whom she had been taken. When she first heard in Bradenton, Fla., and where she followed here for treatment Mrs. Ryan said she was surprised to find

her acquaintances today.

She said that she was unable to read any literature she believed in. During this time she said that if any man should ever catch her in a matter like this she would say: "Taberna, I will be here!"

AND MURDER. Explaining that both she and her husband, who is exiled in New York, are "100 percent Jewish," Mrs. Sanderson said: "I hope I can make up with his wife and Mr. Sanderson announced he would in turn make up with her. He is willing to drop divorce proceedings."

Bossett is now in Madison waiting for a divorce from her husband. She and Mrs. Sanderson have been friends since Mrs. Sanderson has cleared the wife's name, friends of the couple believe the house of Sanderson may not require it.

Nader's statement reads: "Through my lawyers I have learned the Sandersons are planning to take back the wife, Mrs. N. N. Wilson."

William Stained Glass Company
Plant at No. 414 North Main Street

NO RECONCILIATION YET.
The charges to which Sanderson referred were briefly that Mrs. Sanderson was to get a divorce while Russell was to divorce his wife in he meantime so they could be free to marry.

Basnett was reached on the telephone at Madison. "Well, that's fine," he said when he heard the news. He declared he had been sick for four weeks, was out of a job and that his wife and children

**ARMY WORLD FLIGHT
PLANES RIDE GALE**

Dutch Harbor, Alaska, April 26 (A. P.). Delayed—The three United States Army airplanes awaiting here the arrival of Major F. L. Martin, who was to endanger the lives of safety of the pull, operating with just registration and with failing to stop on signal by a police officer.

The young man are Joseph R. Miller, twenty-two, of No. 218 Chestnut street, Lynn, and Ralph Gildie, twenty-two, of No. 422 1/2 Essex street, Lynn. They were locked up in Danvers.

PLAN TO SAVE HALL FROM SINKING

Construction of an addition to Memorial Hall, Melrose, to prevent the sinking of one side of the present building is proposed by engineers recommended by a special committee as a solution of the situation.

and hurled oil drums from the dock to the water. It had moderated somewhat today.

WOMAN LEAPS AND ESCAPES IN RAID

As a result of a raid made on an apartment at No. 37 Northfield street, Roxbury, Elsie, Greenhill

SLAYS HER HUSBAND,

Patrolmen O'Malley and Loner conducted the raid. A woman, who was a member of the party, leaped from a window, dropped fifteen feet to an

The case was postponed until an analysis of the drugs found in the apartment has been completed

**OIL PROBE JURORS
MEET TOMORROW**

Washington, April 28.—The special grand jury impaneled here last

swallowed poison.
At a hospital it was said she probably would die

**MURDER JURY ENDS
87-HOUR DEADLOCK**

Philadelphia, April 28.—After deliberating for eighty-seven hours and thirteen minutes, a jury trying

week to consider evidence uncovered in the Senate oil investigation will begin its sessions tomorrow. A meeting had been called for today, but government counsel asked for a 34-hour delay.

The Boston American Is the Only Boston Evening Paper to Print the Final Scores of the Ball Games

SPORTS

RED CHAPMAN AND TERRY PARKER CLASH AT ARMORY A. A.

TWO LOCAL CLUBS RUN SHOWS THIS WEEK

By JACK CONWAY

The past week has been a very busy one for the local sports scene, as well as for the local sportsmen.

Red Chapman, of the Boston Red Sox, and Terry Parker, of the Boston Braves, will clash at the Armory A. A. on Tuesday night. This is a very important game, as it will determine the winner of the championship.

Charles E. Smith, of the Boston Red Sox, and Eugene J. Smith, of the Boston Braves, will clash at the Armory A. A. on Wednesday night. This is a very important game, as it will determine the winner of the championship.

Frankie Genaro, of the Boston Red Sox, and Tommy Ryan, of the Boston Braves, will clash at the Armory A. A. on Thursday night. This is a very important game, as it will determine the winner of the championship.

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OUTDOOR SPORTS

By Tad

DEMPSEY AND MELROSE TO M'ADAM ON AT LYNN

FETE DE MAR MAY 15



MacAuley Picked to Run in Olympic Marathon

Montreal, April 23.—The Olympic committee has selected John MacAuley, of the Boston Red Sox, to run in the Olympic marathon.

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Mayor to Officiate at Pure Bouts in Arena Tonight

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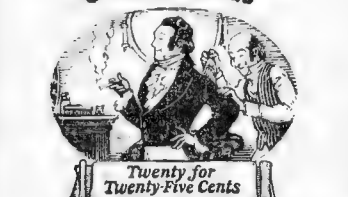
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All Charge Purchases made during the balance of this month will be entered on the May bill rendered June 1

THE MEN'S STORE OF NEW ENGLAND

BOBBIE AND HIS PA

By Wm. F. Kirk

Bobbie had a much better day than he was having at school. He had been on the "A" list for the first time in a long while.

He was so happy that he had decided to go to the movies with his father and mother. They were going to see a new picture that was being shown at the Grand.

PA: I wish you were a boy. You'd be a lot more fun to have around than a girl.

BOBBIE: I wish you were a girl. You'd be a lot more fun to have around than a boy.

PA: I wish you were a boy. You'd be a lot more fun to have around than a girl.

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POLLY AND HER PAIS

Proposals Still Coming in All Directions

YES, NOW MANY PROPOSALS HAVE I HAD SINCE I'VE HAD THE BEAUTY CONTEST, POLLY?

YOU'VE HAD TO ASK DELICIA, PA. SHE'S ANY CORRESPONDING SECRETARY YOU KNOW.

MY GOODNESS! THEY MUST BE MILLIONS AND STILL THEY COME!

REKT!

CLIFF STERRETT

By Cliff Sterrett

Proposals Still Coming in All Directions

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ADVICE TO LOVELORN

By Beatrice Fairfax

"I" have been a virgin since I was born. I have never been kissed, nor have I ever been loved. I am a lonely, lonesome girl, and I am in need of advice.

And when I didn't get so much as a kiss, I was in a town where I was a virgin. I was a virgin, and I was a virgin. I was a virgin, and I was a virgin.

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US BOYS

Here's Logic

HAR HAR HAR, THAT'S GOOD! THEY LOOKED YOU TO BE KING OF THE MAY, THE SCHOOL FESTIVAL, THAT'S!

WELL, WHAT COULD I DO ABOUT IT?

AWWW!

GEE WHIZ, I COULDN'T HELP BEING IT!

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MARRIED LIFE

The Offer Takes the Joy Out of Living

WELL, I'LL BUY YOUR FATHER, CERTAINLY SPEAKS RUMBLE IN THIS PLACE, FRANKLIN!

YES, I THINK THE OLD DON'T MAKE IT QUITE LIVABLE. I'LL SHOW YOU AROUND TO BE YOUR HOME, I'M GOING TO A HOTEL, IT IS MY FATHER'S WISH.

THERE ARE OUR ANCESTORS! THAT BAD OLD GREEK WHO THE MARQUIS DE SIFFONOUPE IMMIGRATED INTO HIS ROOM WHERE HE SITS ON THE FOOT OF THE BED.

MY GHOST IS SUPPOSED TO WALK THE CORRIDOR EVERY NIGHT INTO HIS ROOM WHERE HE SITS ON THE FOOT OF THE BED.

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RABID REVERIES

A Lude Awakening

THERE'S A PACKAGE SOME BODY DROPPED. I HOPE IT'S SOMETHING TO EAT. I'M HUNGRY AS A WOLF AND THIRSTY TOO.

IT'S A BOTTLE OF FLESH CUTTERS AND IT'S JUST WHAT I NEEDED TOO.

GOSH! IT'S GOOD STUFF ALL RIGHT. IT DOES PUT THE CUT FLESH IN GETTING FAT ALREADY.

COME ON! I'LL BUY YOU FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS WORTH.

FATTEST MAN ON EARTH!

HEY! DON'T YOU THINK YOU HAD BETTER BEAT IT GO ON AND CHASE YOURSELF DO YOU SAID IT!

WINSOR MCCAY, JR.

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I WISH YOU WOULD BEAR THE BOYS WILL BE GLAD TO GET HIM.

LOOK UP THERE, SNOOK! SEE MR. LEWIS IN MY OFFICE WINDOW?

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HOW DO THEY DO IT

Just the Man for the Job

WHAT'S THE MATTER WITH YOUR CAR?

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NO WONDER—ONE OF YOUR UNIVERSITY HAS COME APE!

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HELPFUL HENRY

By Arnot



BRINGING UP FATHER



Jiggs Gets Lion

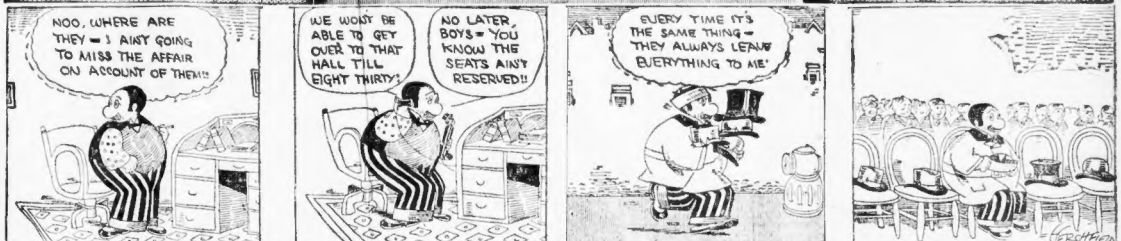
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ABIE THE AGENT

Staking a Claim

By Hershfield



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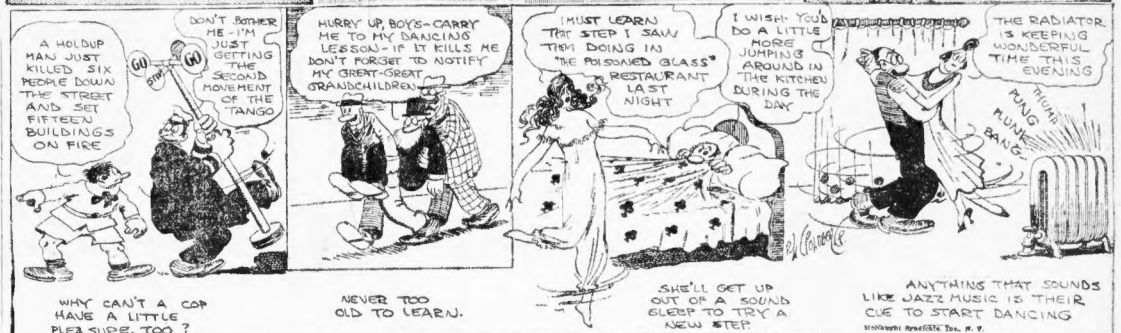
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GOLDBERG'S CARTOONS

Who Says Dancing Is Out?

By Rube Goldberg



JERRY ON THE JOB

All Modern Conveniences

By Hoban



LET THE WEDDING BELLS RING OUT



THE THIMBLE THEATRE

A Successful Operation

By Segar



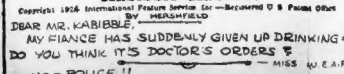
KRAZY KAT

Happiness Worms Its Way In

By Herriman



Kabibble Kabaret



Four telegraph news services in the Boston American—the news while it is news and not history.

BOSTON AMERICAN

Largest Evening Circulation in New England—April 28, 1924

Charity begins at home—read the "Helping Hand" at home tonight and you can begin to help tomorrow.

Why Must We Start?

Let the Fighters Disarm First, Mr. Coolidge

President Coolidge is in favor of a new arms conference and more disarmament. Why must the United States start this kind of thing? Why not let the fighters disarm first of all?

If Mr. Coolidge had for neighbors a dozen quarrelsome individuals, shooting, robbing, constantly attacking each other and if he kept weapons in his house only to defend himself in case of attack, he would not discuss giving up his weapons. He would advise the fighters to stop fighting, but meanwhile he would keep himself prepared for any foolish thing they might do.

What Mr. Coolidge would do for himself and his own family is exactly what he ought to do for the United States. This country is not going to attack anybody. But we do not propose that attack shall find us unprepared.

It is bad enough to have no decent flying machines, and a miserably inadequate fleet of submarines. It is bad enough, thanks to the last conference, to be told by England that we mustn't change our coal burning ships into oil burning ships, while we would increase their cruising range, and that we mustn't raise the elevation of guns on our men-of-war, as that would make their range equal to the range of British guns.

Why should we go any farther in this line of business?

President Coolidge is aware that Japan has no very friendly feeling for us at this moment. He has seen dispatches from Europe telling that Japan is turning now toward Russia. Russia doesn't love the United States. She looks upon this country as the great monster of capitalism that needs to have its throat cut first of all to make all the world happy by abolishing everything it has ever done in the past.

President Coolidge knows that the Japanese, in spite of the earthquake disaster which compelled them to borrow all over the world, are busy building fighting warships, which include THIRTEEN SUBMARINES OF GREAT CRUISING POWER.

And Mr. Coolidge knows that those submarines are not built for joy riding, but for business.

The business of a United States President is to think ABOUT THE UNITED STATES, about its worries, its dangers, its possible future troubles. His duty is not to worry about Europe, or about Asia, or about protecting them from the results of their own stupid follies and criminal wars.

A President of the United States should concentrate on the necessity of making THIS COUNTRY SAFE, instead of everlastingly talking about our "duties as to the other countries."

Let the other countries do a little worrying about themselves. That might soften their fighting tendencies.

Flat Dwellers

Their Vacations—And Other Matters

President Coolidge has asked four members of his Cabinet to form a committee to suggest a policy by which office and flat dwellers can be given a vacation in the open air.

Uncle Sam already offers the best chance on record for young men. He will take them to Plattsburg, train them and drill them, and exercise them and pay all the bills. And the young men who attend Uncle Sam's party this summer assume no obligation whatever.

Now and then a naturalized citizen can give the native-born cards and spades when it comes to concrete loyalty to the Stars and Stripes. So it was when the British ship Olympic and the American ship Leviathan left New York for Europe.

A lot of native-born Americans, including famous actors and artists, chose the British boat, but not so with a certain singer born in Ireland, but made an American in 1919. He made the ship of his adopted country; and his name is John McCormack.

Party alignments used to be rigid, but now both parties at Washington are all split to pieces. If the lights should be extinguished at a caucus of either party, the casualties would be something frightful.

A lawyer who has devoted himself to the criminal practice returned to his apartment late at night and was commanded to hold up his hands by a pair of burglars. The lawyer did so, but reviewed his career as a defender of crooks, whereas the burglars blushed, begged his pardon and retreated.

There ought to be a counterweight by which burglars and a large number of lawyers could know each other in the dark and there should also be some symbolic designation of the homes of barristers by which much embarrassing blunders on the part of burglars may be avoided throughout the years to come.

High life kills more people than cancer. Napoleon said an army moved on its stomach. So do most of the funeral processions.

Plymouth Church is to select a new preacher October 1. As a matter of fact Plymouth Church has been looking for a preacher ever since Henry Ward Beecher died.

Once-Overs

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STUDY THE GOLDEN RULE AND PRACTICE IT
If you have never been tempted strongly, you should not feel so satisfied with yourself because you have never gone wrong. You have no idea what you would do if a great temptation should come to you, if you have never had such an experience. Why should you be so severe with those who have strayed a bit from the well-beaten path?
What has kept you from going wrong at times? Is it fear that you might be found out or is it a strong desire to do right at all times which has kept you straight?
In most cases it is not fear of publicity, fear of being found out. Suppose you should give way to some of your indiscreet impulses? If you found that your thoughtless act had been magnified by others, would you feel that you had been treated fairly?
Of course you would not.
Yet you do not hesitate to circulate the bit of scandal you hear. You are cold and hard as ice in your indignation.
You would better study the Golden Rule and then practice it.

In the Springtime

By T. E. Powers

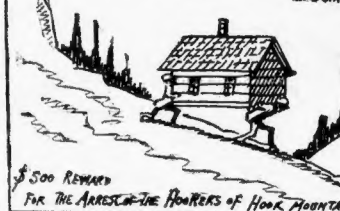
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**MEANEST COP!
BUT HE WASN'T A
REAL COP—HOLDUP
GUY—IN COPS
UNIFORM—COLLECTING
KISSING TAX IN PARK**

**INSURANCE DOCTOR SAYS KISSING LEADS
TO THE GRAVE YARD.**



**AMBASSADOR GERARDS
HOOK MOUNTAIN HOUSE
HAS BEEN HOOKED—LINE
AND SINKER**

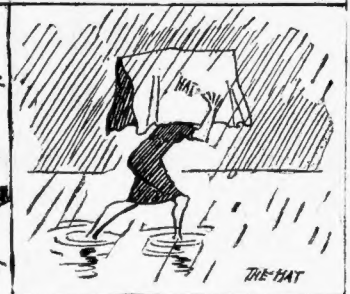


MRS. SOLOMON SAYS

By HELEN ROWLAND

VERILY, my Daughter, the parent of bachelors is the sport of damsel and the delight of the world. Behind the Lord hath made men to marry, but they have sought out many inventions; and she that would ensure them must be first and subtle.
For not all men are as the foolish honey which is caught with honey; rather is he the simple bachelor, who seeketh flattery and flattery not. Helen Rowland the danger until he is entangled.
Lo, one man walketh boldly as the bear, seeking to seek and delecting a woman's enticement. Yet, when the TRAP is hidden and I baited, he strideth lightly therein, and his "honey" is gone.
And yet another is as the fish, which must be angled for with patience and "play" with skill, and an strength of the hook before he is landed.
And another is as the wild bird, which surrenders not until he hath been winged and maimed. Yes, only when he is laid low and cannot defend himself will he submit to ANY damsel's petting. And

none but a trained nurse shall capture him.
And there is he that, like the rabbit, keeps always THIRTY jumps ahead; but which, if caught alive, restraineth himself cheerfully to his fate and becometh sweetly domesticated.
Likewise there is the butterfly, that flitteth from damsel to damsel, seeking carousal, but is caught at last in a net, whereof the strands are golden. For NO butterfly-bachelor weddeth a poor damsel; but he is the delirious of the rich widow; who pineth him DOWN.
Yes, and there is he that, like unto the horse, must be lured with coaxing and sugar, lest he bolt at the first touch of the halter. And he that, like unto the deer, is bold and shy and trusteth to camouflage to hide his susceptibility.
And he that, like unto the cock-of-the-walk, groweth over his stilet bloodedness, flesh openly when he is pursued, and dieth protesting loudly.
Verily, verily, the hunter seeketh wild game everywhere but ONE woman at a time.
And he that hunteth the wild bachelor must go forth armed with a net, a gun, a trap, a hook, a bait, a sugar and a heart of steel. For the pursuit of a whole MRS. SOLOMON SAYS.
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THE HELPING HAND

Letters Not Answered Personally. No Attention Paid to Telephone Calls or Anonymous Letters. No Names Published.

Destitute
Editor Helping Hand:
I am writing this letter for a family I know to be in very destitute circumstances. Owing to extreme cruelty on part of her husband, the mother of this family was granted a divorce, with allowance of ten dollars per week, which is her only income. There are seven children, ages ranging from fourteen to three. One child is in the hospital and has been for the last year. The mother would like to get the oldest boy his working papers so he may be some support to his mother, so far they have been unsuccessful. The mother would be grateful to receive used clothes for the children, and her most pressing need is for shoes. They four fourteen have been unable to attend school today, as his only footwear, a pair of rubber "sneakers," are worn out.
MRS. K. S. M.

Gives and Asks
Editor Helping Hand:
I have a good two-dollar gas plate and a child's folding gas, strong but needs new tires, that I'd be glad to give anyone who could use them. And if any of your readers should have anything a four-year-old orphan could wear I'd be pleased, as I'm interested in it. I have two little

Offers Large Carriage
Editor Helping Hand:
I have a large white carriage I would like to give to some one in need. I would like to have her call for it, as I cannot afford to express it. MRS. W. F. P.

Suit for Old Lady
Editor Helping Hand:
I would like to give to some old lady who lives alone and needs one. MRS. W. F. P.

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WORDS OF THE WISE MEN

It matters not how long you have lived, but how well.
Not that which is great is beautiful, but that which is beautiful is great.
Not in costly flavor is the greatest enjoyment. Seek an appetite by hard toil.
In some greatness of birth is apt to produce meanness of mind.
There are people who do not enjoy as much to enter open doors as to force them open.
Do not be ashamed to say what you are not ashamed to think.
Perpetual use of anything is given to no one, and he follows him who is not followed.

As waves succumb waves.
He will never be a happy man whom it torments to see a happler.
There was never any great genius without an admixture of madness.
No divinity is absent if prudence is present.
When you are forming new friendships cultivate the old.
Our own things delight us if we do not make comparisons.
No delay concerning the death of a man is ever long.
A virtuous man has not only clean hands, but a clean mind.

DR. FRANK CRANE ON TIME WASTED IN REVENGE

By DR. FRANK CRANE

THE don't test of all don'ts is: Don't get even. The greatest of all time-wasting is time wasted on revenge.

It not only is a waste of time, but also of gray matter, nerve force, vitality, and soul juice and life reserves.

The desire for retaliation is the most dangerous lust that enslaves human beings.

When you want to hurt him who has hurt you, you want something that irritates you while you want it, disappoints you when you get it, and makes you feel mean after it's all over.

You can't get through this life without meeting people who injure you. There are those that snub you, those that betray you, those that cheat you, those that envy you, besides all the swarm of spiteful, malicious, weak and venomous human mosquitos, worms and wasps.

If you stop and chase each of these to punish them you will have no time for anything else.

If you allow yourself to think of them they will poison you until your mind is sour as buttermilk, your sleep ruined, and your hours of leisure turned from content to wretchedness.

Forget it! It makes not so much matter whether or not you forgive an offense; the only satisfying thing is to forget it. Go on!

There's too much to do to stop and fight bees. Life's too rich to pauperize it by hate. Let it pass! Go on!

Doubtless your enemy needs a thrashing. But what's that to you? The question is: What do YOU need? You need peace of mind, poise and contentment, and to keep thinking about him is to upset yourself.

When a man wrongs us, let us simply drop him. He's out of our life. Goodbye! There are plenty of others. As far as we are concerned, he is an undesirable citizen, and that's all there is to it. Next!

Why redress injuries? They always redress themselves automatically better than we can redress them.

We don't realize the self-acting, automatic, equalizing efficiency of the spiritual world. It's more actual than any mechanical device. When a man does dirt, he gets dirt, by-and-by. Let him alone. Why bother?

Into what horrors of suffering has the desire for revenge plunged the world! Look at hideous Europe now; the mountains of mangled bodies piled on the altars of revenge!

When Jesus said that about turning the other cheek he was not talking impossible idealism, but plain sense. The people who spiritually arrive are the forgetters.

Here is a sentence you may paint on your wall where you can see it by day, on your ceiling where you can gaze on it when you wake up at night, on your mind where all your thoughts can read it as they pass by, and on your heart where every emotion can be shaped by it.

An injury can grieve us only when remembered. The noblest revenge, therefore, is to forget.

GARRETT P. SERVISS ON PREHISTORIC FOLK

By Garrett P. Serviss

Famous Astronomer and Writer on Scientific Topics of Popular Interest.

THE debated question whether America has its own prehistoric people, as ancient as any on the earth, instead of borrowing its first inhabitants from the eastern hemisphere, has been a dramatic answer in the affirmative, if the human skull found near Los Angeles proves to be as old as some very good authorities in anthropology, and when seen it and inquired into the circumstances of its discovery.

It is not long since Dr. Ales Hrdlicka affirmed, in substance, that America saw its first men (immigrants) not more than 5,000 years ago. He believed that if more ancient men had existed on this continent, some remains of them would have been found in caves or stream beds long ere this. That is not very convincing, when we consider the frail and fragmentary character of human bones as they have been found in the last few thousand years; and also the small extent of our knowledge of prehistoric men, and the fact that in our geological period, the last few thousand years, we have explored with the necessary minuteness to make sure that no such remains are there.

Besides, we have equally good authorities on the other side. At a number of places in North America human remains have been found, but the last few centuries of years, and it smacks a little of scientific dogmatism to reject all such cases in spite of the opinions of careful investigators. After all, these remains are not to be decided as a problem in mathematics is a problem in mathematics.

Professor W. K. Gregory is quoted as saying that right near the Atlantic seaboard, at Trenton, N. J., remains have been found indicating the existence of a human being in the latest glacial period, say 20,000 or 30,000 years ago. And other authorities at the American Museum have been of the belief that the two skulls found in Nebraska recently, belonged to a creature intermediate in structure between chimpanzee and man. Practically nothing is known of the Old World, and the assertion of the finders and examiners of the Los Angeles skull that it may be as much as half a million years old, comes from men whom even those who hold a priori, an opposite opinion, regard as experts and competent judges. Thus the whole breadth of the continent is embraced by evidence of early man in America.

When the money now spent by the most civilized nations on armies, navies and wars has been turned into the infinitely more useful channel of scientific advance, man will at last begin effectively to study the earlier stages of his history, and when he appreciates out of what concrete geological period, and how many hundreds of thousands of years it has taken him to reach his present state, he will understand better than he now can how to make the most out of his life. Prehistory is as important as history for the comprehension and guidance of man's existence. Hundreds of ideas, beliefs, impressions, prejudices, and emotions, ambitions, and our conduct and our career, have their roots in a past long anterior to the most ancient recorded times.

A great authority on anthropology has said that, as far as the history of the human mind is concerned, he cannot see that man has made any progress since the prehistoric geological period. Why then did those early men, who already had big, full brains, fall to make the impression upon the earth's face that we have been making for the last few centuries? What did they lack that we possess, and how and when was it that the modern elements were introduced into the human organism?

Hundreds of questions like these might be answered, and their lessons learned for the more occasional scratching, here and there, of the earth's surface. There could be substituted a systematic exploration and research that would cover all the lands where man, in any of his stages, has ever dwelt. There man who dwelt a large sum to pay for research about the world's atmosphere. Good! Now let us turn to the study of the human mind, and the discovery concerning man's beginnings and development.